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INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, EG, US

SUBJECT: ALLEGED DIVERSION OF U.S. GRAIN

REF: (A) CAIRO 16213; (B) CAIRO 16181; (C) STATE 230798

1. S.S. JAMES LYKES AND S.S. NANCY LYKES CARRIED FOLLOWING
TITLE I CARGO FOR EGYPT DURING PERIOD IN QUESTION, ACCORDING
TO USAID RECORDS:

P.A. NO.:	BULK CORN	FLOUR
	(MT)	
JAMES LYKES 5019		2,000
5021	6,972	
NANCY LYKES 5019		4,000
5021	6,972	

NEITHER SHIP CONTAINED TITLE II CARGO FOR EGYPT, THEREFORE
THEY DID NOT, REPEAT NOT HAVE QUOTE HANDSHAKE UNQUOTE FOOD
COMMODITIES ON BOARD.

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2. S.S. JADRO CARRIED 7,400,000 LBS. (3.358 MT) TITLE II
FLOUR FOR CRS SCHOOL FEEDIING PROGRAM; CRS RECORDS
SHOW 23,200 LBS. SHORTLANDED (10.5 MT) WHICH IS LESS
THAN ONE PERCENT OF TOTAL AND THEREFORE WELL WITHIN
NORMAL SHORT LANDING OR EXCESS LANDING TOLERANCE.
SHIP'S CAPTAIN VERIFIED QUANTITIES OFF-LOADED.

3. REGARDING OTHER SHIPS MENTIONED PARA 2, REF (C),
THE QUOTE OGDEN MARINE SHIP UNQUOTE, THE GREEN SPRINGS
AND THE GREEN WAVE, CONGEN ALEXANDRIA AND USAID RECORDS SHOW
NO OGDEN MARINE SHIP IN ALEXANDRIA DURING THE PERIOD IN QUESTION.
THE GREEN SPRINGS CARRIED 13,692 MT OF TITLE I BULK
WHEAT. THE GREEN WAVE CARRIED NO, REPEAT NO TITLE I
OR TITLE II FOOD.

4. WE MAY BE ABLE TO OBTAIN SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THIS
QUESTION BY EARLY NEXT WEEK AND WILL ADVISE ACCORDINGLY. IN
MEANTIME WE BELIEVE SPECULATION OF AMCONGEN ALEXANDRIA IN REFS
A AND B IS VERY LIKELY ACCURATE. WE HAVE DEVELOPED NO INFO-
RMATION WHATEVER THAT WOULD SUBSTANTIATE ALLEGATIONS IN REF C.
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